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BROS BROOKS NURSERIES

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TALL BEARDED IRIS

Of all the flowers in the garden there are few that excel the IRISES for their lavish display of color in May and June. The various varieties range in colors from silvery white through the yellow pinks, lavenders, blues and deep purples with smoky hues and all shades between. They must be seen to be appreciated. The new tall large-flowering varieties of today are far superior to the small varieties of our grandmothers day.

Irises will grow in any good soil and blossom profusely with but a minimum of care.

The following twenty five varieties are about as good a collection as there is in this country.

The figures after each variety denote the rating given by the Iris-Society of America. All varieties are rated according to their merits from one to ten or one and one tenth to nine and nine tenths. You will note that all our varieties are above seven. There is no variety yet produced that can merit No. 10.

"S" means Standards or upright petals and "F" Falls or side petals.

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Prices

AFTERGLOW.	8.6.	Misty-lavender lit with yellow at the center. 3 to 4 ft. tall. Fine for garden effects.	50c Each	.50
AMBASSADEUR.	9.4.	"S." Pale tone of smoky reddish satin. "F". Velvety-maroon. A tall regal plant. We have but one or two plants to sell this year.	\$2.00 Each	1.00
AVALON.	8.7.	Unequaled in combination of size, shape, substance and color of flower. Light mauve. Growth slow. Over 3 Ft. One or two plants for sale.	\$8.00 Each	
BALLERINE.	9.4.	"S." Light violet blue. "F." Dark violet blue. The large flowers are very fragrant. Very scarce.	\$2.00 Each	1.50
CRUSADER.	8.7.	This is the best clear blue Iris we have. It is a very slow grower and we only have a very few plants to sell. Grows when established 42 inches high.	\$2.00 Each	1.00
DOMINION.	9.4.	"S." Rich blue. "F." Deep velvety indigo purple. Late bloomer. 32 inches tall. Petals of wonderful substance. The standard to date.	\$15.00 Each	10.00
LENT A. WILLIAMSON.	8.9.	Massive in growth of stalk and flower. Deep reddish violet shaded with yellow toward center. 42 inches tall	\$1.00 Each	.75
LEVERRIER.	9.1.	An enormous flower of violet hues. A wonderful variety when well grown. 42 inches tall.	\$3.00 Each	1.50
LORD OF JUNE.	9.1.	A tall vigorous grower. 3 Ft. "S." Blue lavender. "F." Blue violet.	\$1.00 Each	.75
MAGNIFICA.	9.1.	Very large flowers of pink violet flushed toward center with creamy yellow. Attractive color combined with size and height of 4 Ft.	\$2.00 Each	1.50

- MA MIE. 8.1. Pure White with ruffled border delicately penciled blue. An improved Mme Chereau. 35c Each
- MERLIN. 8.3. A large pink-violet flower. Stalk 30 inches tall. 35c Each
- MME CHEREAU. 7.4. This variety has been out for a number of years and is now an old favorite. Color is white with a delicate crinkled border of blue. ~~15c~~ Each .25
- MOTHER OF PEARL. This variety is so scarce and new it has not as yet received a rating. Although similar to Queen Caterina it surpasses it in height and texture of flower and will undoubtedly rate very high. It is almost white with a very pale bluish tint. Silvery white. ~~\$2.00~~ Each .75
- PALLIDA DALMATICA. (True Type) 8.8. "S." Lavender. "F." Deep clear lavender. Flowers large and very fine. This is one of the older fine varieties. 25c Each
- PRINCESS BEATRICE. 9.5. A selected form of Pallida Dalmatica. Color cool lavender and of exceptional substance and satin texture. 40 inches tall. ~~\$1.00~~ Each .75
- PROSPER LAUGIER. 8.3. This variety has been admired very much. "S." Light cinnamon drab with a pinkish sheen. "F." Velvety violet carmine. Smoky color. 3 ft. tall. 35c Each
- QUAKER LADY. 8.4. Bluish Violet. The Falls washed with lemon yellow. Rather a quaint old-fashioned color. 27 inches tall. ~~25c~~ Each .35
- QUEEN CATERINA. 9.1. A large iridescent very pale lavender violet that has proved most popular. Just a little off the silvery white. Over 3 Ft. Tall. \$1.00 Each
- QUEEN OF MAY. 7.4. Soft rosy lilac almost pink. One of the older favorites. 30 inches tall. ~~15c~~ Each .25
- REINE NIXE. 8.4. "S." Large pure white. "F." Raspberry purple edged with white. Midseason bloomer. 3 Ft. tall. Vigorous grower. The only one of this white and purple type worthy to have. ~~25c~~ Each .35
- SHEKINAH. 8.7. This is the best yellow Iris to date. It is a pale yellow of the pallida type. 3 Ft. tall. ~~\$1.00~~ Each .50
- SILVER KING. This is an old variety of merit. Very pale bluish white. 2 Ft. tall. 15c Each
- SOUV. de MME GAUDICHAU. 9.3. A large rich velvety black-violet bicolor. Over 3 Ft. tall. This is a new variety and we only have one or two plants to spare this year. ~~\$1.00~~ Each 1.50
- VIOLA. 7.5. Solid Violet color. 30 inches tall. 35c
- PUMULA BLUE. This is a dwarf iris and used in gardens where a short variety 6-12 inches is desired. 15c Each

